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HIGH COURT SAYS BUS LINES MUST PAY MILEAGE TAX IN MISSISSIPPI

Gulfport Bus Company Loses Appeal to State's Highest Tribunal—Company Operates Twenty Buses Between Pass Christian and Biloxi.

Under a decision handed down by the Mississippi Supreme Court, at Jackson, Monday, sitting en banc, bus companies operating motor vehicles for the transportation in and through incorporated towns and cities in Mississippi for hire are required to pay the state's mileage tax.

The attorney-general's office said the decision affects operators in almost all of the larger cities of the state, including Jackson, Vicksburg, Meridian, Hattiesburg, Natchez and the towns along the Gulf Coast.

Catholic Club For Bay St. Louis District Elects Set of Officers

The Bay St. Louis district of the National Council of Catholic Women at a meeting at Long Beach re-elected Mrs. Mary Van Cloostere of Long Beach president and Mrs. J. C. Clancy of Gulfport secretary-treasurer, the three local units which compose the district, namely, Long Beach, Pass Christian and Bay St. Louis.

Balloting Saturday Will Take Place At Bay City Hall

Attention of city voters is again called to the municipal primary to be held on Saturday of this week, October 3.

There will be two voting places—at City Hall. Voters from North Bay St. Louis will cast their ballots in that portion (lower floor) occupied by Dr. C. M. Shipp, local health officer. Voters from South Bay St. Louis will cast their ballots on the ground floor in the hallway of the City Hall.

There will be no voting booths at the courthouse or at school houses as in the county district and state elections.

This information is again published in order there will be no mistake or inconvenience experienced. Voters are asked to vote early.

Natchez Baptists Plans Centennial To Begin November 16

The First Baptist church of Natchez, has started active preparations for the celebration of the Mississippi Baptist Convention, November 16-19, which will be climaxed by the state Baptist convention to be held in Natchez, where the denomination was first established. At least twelve hundred delegates are expected to be in attendance as well as churchmen of national importance.

The Natchez Association of Commerce and various civic organizations have joined with Dr. W. A. Sullivan, pastor of the First Baptist church and his congregation in making plans for the centennial observance.

CHIEF DEPUTY SHERIFF'S SON ILL

Chief Deputy and Mrs. F. J. Bopp are in New Orleans at the bedside of their son, Herman, who has been desperately ill all week at Baptist Hospital, suffering from a reaction of a tooth extracted in New Orleans, under the influence of a local anesthetic. Reports (Thursday afternoon) from his bedside are to the effect of improvement. Young Bopp is one of two sons and is a student at Tulane.

TRAINING LEADERS TO MEET

Agricultural Heads to Assemble at Courthouse October 9—Under Direction J. A. Bozeman

Beginning Monday, September 28, state agricultural leaders and farm officials will launch a campaign to organize a farm bureau in every county of the state. Local units will be established in as many rural communities as seem desirable.

The movement will have the united backing of every agricultural agency and farm organization in the state. Representatives of the state extension service of Mississippi State College, the county extension agents, vocational teachers, the Mississippi Federated Cooperatives, the Mississippi Cooperative Cotton Association, the State Department of Vocational Education and the State Department of Agriculture, will join with the Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation in the drive to increase the membership of existing county farm bureaus and to organize new units in every county that does not now have farm bureau organization.

The plan of the campaign calls for a leaders training meeting in every county of the state which will be followed by eight district mass meetings and these in turn by county campaigns which will reach every community desiring to establish a local unit of the farm organization.

The leaders training meeting for Hancock county will be held at Bay St. Louis, October 9.

The directors of the county farm bureau, vocational teachers, home demonstration leaders, agricultural conservation committeemen, principals of local schools and other interested leaders are invited to attend the meeting which will be under direction of County Agent J. A. Bozeman.

Caron's Aristocrats To Play at Uncle Charlie's Saturday

Uncle Charlie's Night Club continues one of the most popular places for entertainment on the Coast. Every Saturday witnesses many ladies and gentlemen not only locally but from New Orleans and along the coast.

Caron's Aristocrats, one of the better bands of the Coast, will supply the orchestral music for this Saturday. Caron's assembly of musicians is one of the most sought for in this section and the announcement of its engagement is always a signal for much pleasure.

Walthall Youth Confesses Store Theft And Repays Merchant

To the mercantile firm of D. E. Lampton and Company, of Tyler, town, Miss., came a new experience when a young man of this county confessed to Mr. Lampton that he had broken into the store on the night of August 1 by crashing a window in the office.

He reimbursed the firm for the cash taken and for the damage done, according to Mr. Lampton, who stated that the matter is now a closed issue.

POWER COMPROMISE

Following his conference with insurance officials, called before and not as a result of the Knox declaration, the President has announced a conference with power company executives. Other groups it is said, will be contacted later. The power group will discuss the possibility of establishing a distribution system which will permit the government and private industry to cooperate in setting up lower rates and, at the same time, permit the companies to refinance their indebtedness. The companies also are expected to insist on "guarantees" that will ignore all factors of cost. They hope that their territory and clientele will be respected and that they will not be dismembered by what they consider unfair rates and tactics.

LOCAL LIBRARY RECEIVES MANY NEW VOLUMES

Miss Louise Crawford, Librarian, Returns From Europe—Capt. and Mrs. McIntosh Leave.

Mrs. L. H. Fairchild gave 83 books, among which are such interesting titles as 'Monsieur Beaucaire' by Booth Tarkington; 'Folle-Farine' by Ouida; 'Dombey and Son,' and 'A Tale of Two Cities' by Charles Dickens; 'Dangerous Ages,' by Rose Macaulay; 'Lives of the Queens of England,' by Agnes Strickland; 'Little Journeys to the homes of great lovers' by Elbert Hubbard; and an essay on Happiness by William Lyon Phelps.

The following books were purchased for the juvenile shelves during this past week: 'Winnie the Pooh' by A. A. Milner and illustrated by E. H. Shepherd; 'Little Minister' by James M. Barrie; 'Little Women' by Louise M. Alcott and 'My Friend the Dog' by Albert Payson Terhune.

A presentation to this library from the Mississippi State Planning Commission of Jackson, Miss., was a 17-page booklet entitled 'The Population in Mississippi for August, 1936.'

With the beginning of the Fall Season Bay St. Louis will lose a family which for the past several months has been one of the active, prominent, and esteemed in the city. Reference is made to Capt. and Mrs. K. C. McIntosh and their son Kenneth, who are moving on October 2 to New Orleans for the winter.

The members of the Library Board and the staff of the Hancock County Free Library will particularly miss the McIntoshes and wish to take this opportunity of thanking both Captain and Mrs. McIntosh for their willing cooperation as members of the board and for their delightful and always interesting columns of Library notes and news which appeared weekly in The Echo.

The McIntoshes, interesting, intelligent, intellectual individuals, were a credit to the community and their departure constitutes an immense loss.

Librarian Returns from England.

The Librarian, fresh from mourning the passing from its midst of a set of esteemed persons, turns with rejoicing to welcome one equally well-known and esteemed, Miss Louise A. Crawford, county librarian, who returned to Bay St. Louis on September 29 from a three-months visit in Worthing, England, with her aunt, Mrs. Rosamond Templeton, a short stay with her cousins in Nantucket, Mrs. Caroline Dale Sneedecker and Mrs. Nina Stillwell, and a three day stop-over in Louisville, Ky.

POSTER WEEK FOR BAY PTA

Prize to Be Given For Best Drawing Accepted—Week of Oct. 18-24.

The Bay Central P. T. A. is staging a poster contest to publicize Parent-Teacher Week which will be October 18-24. All members are invited to participate in this contest which is expected to reveal some fine talent, and a large entry is hoped for. These posters will be exhibited throughout the city, one week before, and during P. T. A. week.

A cash prize will be given for the best poster submitted. The following are the rules for the contest.

1. Posters are to be made by members, not school children.
2. Choose cardboard of sufficient thickness that posters will not curl or bend.
3. A short slogan is better than a wordy one.
4. Bright, harmonious colors are desirable, rather than pastel shades.
5. Lettering should be distinct from and in contrast to the background, and large enough to stand out well.
6. The message of the poster should be simple and easily grasped; everything about the poster should emphasize this one simple idea, "Bay Central P. T. A."
7. Plan the poster on scratch paper first. Allow generous margins. Do not crowd. Avoid ornateness. Vary size of letters according to importance of words. Use simplicity of thought and wording.

For any information regarding the contest phone Mrs. J. Roland Weston, 368 W.

Come on members! Start planning your poster today!

CHURCH GUILD TO MEET

Christ Church Guild will hold its regular meeting Tuesday, October 6, at 10 a. m. at the church.

GRAND JURY REPORT

Loss of Life and Injuries Caused by Reckless Operation of Automobiles Calls for Action

Official report of Hancock county grand jury, addressed to Judge White, Fall Term Circuit Court, is of unusual length and will make interesting and timely reading.

It will be noted the report places much stress on the condition of roads and the unnecessary loss of lives and accidents caused by reckless driving and indifferent parking, etc. The report also pays tribute to the sheriff and his assistants for their work, particularly in the case of recent developments. Seventy-nine witnesses were examined and six indictments returned.

C. W. Fountain, resident of Logtown, was foreman. The report follows:

To Honorable W. A. White, Circuit Judge:

We, the grand jury, at and for the regular September 1936 term of the circuit court of Hancock County, beg to make this report:

We have been in session ten days, have examined 79 witnesses and have returned 6 indictments. We could have finished our labors within less time but on account of extraordinary conditions and developments, which we are sure have been brought to the attention of your Honor, we deemed it our duty to remain in session until this time.

We have examined the courthouse and jail and find same in fairly good condition and well kept.

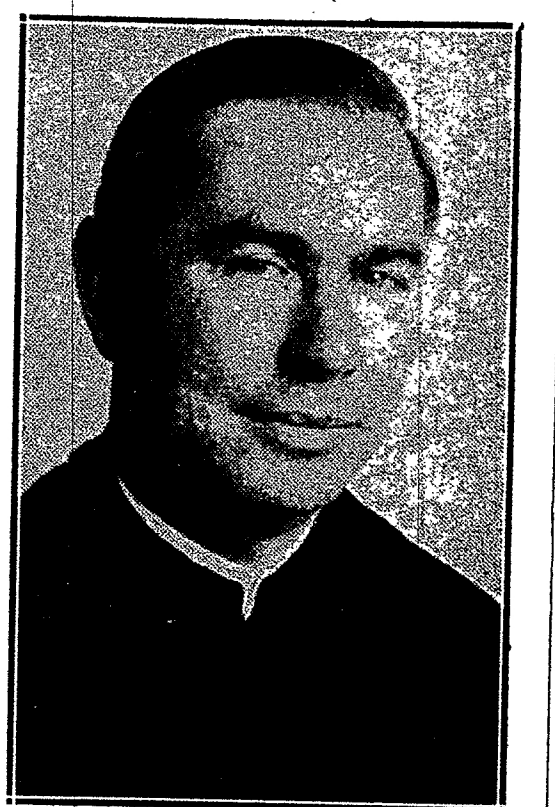
In several cases examined into by us we have failed to return indictments, some because the evidence before us was not sufficient, and others, because we thought such action best at this time.

Considerable of our time, has been given to investigating loss of life and injuries caused by the reckless operation of automobiles, on the public streets and highways of our County, and it is our opinion that something should be done at once, to better protect human life. Millions of automobiles are being manufactured and placed in operation on the public streets and highways each year. Not only is the number of such vehicles greatly increasing each year, but the speed at which they operate is also being increased. It appears that most of our laws governing the operation of motor vehicles were passed when there were only a few of such vehicles in the State of Mississippi, and when most of the streets and highways were in such condition as to make fast travelling or speeding almost impossible. And it seems that no effort has been made to adapt our laws or make laws to meet conditions now existing.

In one case before us, wherein a beautiful girl was killed on the Beach Boulevard, in the Town of Waveland, on the night of the second of July, this year, when the automobile in which she was riding collided with a truck parked on the side of said highway. From the evidence before us in this case, we are convinced that her death was caused by the reckless speeding of the automobile in which she was riding and the reckless parking of the truck without lights on said highway, both of which should and could have been prevented. We have returned no indictment in this case, which action on our part was influenced greatly by the fact that the father of this young lady appeared before us and requested that we find no true bill against either the driver of the automobile or those guilty of parking the truck without lights on the highway.

From the facts presented to us in the above matter we are convinced that it is our duty to use all our power and influence in having laws passed and properly enforced that will prevent similar occurrences and save the lives of others. We feel that our lawmakers are unmindful of the fact, that proper laws must be passed and enforced for the protection of human life from the careless and reckless operation of motor vehicles. We also believe that every child in school should be taught to avoid automobile accidents and required to take a course in PUBLIC AND PERSONAL SAFETY. Our information is that such courses are now available to all public schools, through the National Safety Council, No. 1, Park Avenue, New York, and that the cost per school for same is only five dollars. We feel that our public school authorities would be making a wise investment by arranging to have this course taught in every city and county school, and we urge the County School Board, the County Superintendent of Education, and all Superintendents of City Schools to investigate and determine the feasibility of such courses of instruction; it would cost little and

Faculty Adviser To the Staff of The Rock-A-Chaw



BROTHER ALEXIUS

Vice president St. Stanislaus College, whose guiding interest has brought honor to the local college publication. The Rock-A-Chaw was recently awarded first honor in the annual survey and rating for 1935-36 conducted by the Catholic School Press Association.

COAST RECEIVES REPORTS OF MEN AT LEGIONNAIRE MEET

Held at Cleveland—Gulfport Elects Officers—Hancock County Represented

At a largely attended meeting held in the American Legion home, Gulfport, by Voyageurs Militaire of the Gulf Coast Voluntary Local No. 251 of La Societe Des Hommes et Chevaux 40, and 8, enthusiastic reports were given of the recent convention of 40 and 8 and the American Legion held in Cleveland, Ohio, by Chef de Gare Tom Murphy, Ocean Springs, Emile Gele, D. C. Normand, Ralph Van Dolah and Tom W. Donahoe.

Hancock County Literature. Mr. Murphy reported that the 40 and 8 locomotive was enthusiastically received and photographed both en route and in Cleveland. Large quantities of literature were distributed from Jackson, Stone, Hancock and Harrison counties, comprising the territory embraced by membership.

Sidney Davidson of Biloxi was reported desperately ill in the Veterans' Hospital at Alexandria, La.

Invitation was extended by Commander A. Johnson of the Emily Laidner American Legion Post No. 42, Ocean Springs, to a chicken supper, Thursday, October 15.

On motion of R. E. Redfield a rising vote of thanks was extended Tom Murphy and associates for a splendid administration and a successful year.

Bay St. Louisian Gets Office.

The following officers were elected by acclamation: chef de gare, E. H. Tardy, Biloxi; chef de train, W. T. Woleben, Gulfport; correspondent, C. W. Fafield, Biloxi; commis intend, D. C. Normand, Gulfport; garde laporte, E. C. Brou, Ocean Springs; conducteur, C. O. Hilton, Perkinston; Lampiste, A. A. Le Duke, Biloxi; Commis Voyageur, C. J. Lemieux, Gulfport; aumonier, Dr. Calvin H. Grainger, Gulfport; chemist, Cy Engman, Bay St. Louis; F. O. Parsons, Perkinston; George Ditto, Biloxi.

By motion of J. O. Jones the fiscal year was changed to run concurrently with that of the American Legion, election of officers to be held at meeting prior to the grand promenade with installation to be held at the following meeting.

HOSPITAL NOTES FOR THE WEEK.

Mrs. Emma Carver is still confined to her bed.

Mrs. Idile Hoda will be able to leave the hospital shortly.

Mr. Casey Moran of Kiln was discharged Wednesday.

Mr. M. Saucier of DeLisle, father of Miss Lavina Saucier is ill at the hospital.

Mrs. John Carver and baby were discharged this week.

might be the means of saving many lives.

For ourselves and for the citizenship of Hancock County, we desire to commend the Sheriff, his chief deputy, and his other assistants for the great work they have done in getting evidence and bringing to trial those guilty of crimes recently committed in our County. We also desire to commend the County Prosecuting Attorney and the District Attorney, for the work they have done and the manner in which they have prosecuted the cases tried at this term of court.

And now having finished the work before us, we respectfully ask to be discharged.

OLIVER'S SENTENCE REDUCED

From Seven to Five Years—Withdraws Motion For Rehearing—To Go to Parchman.

The jury instructed by prosecuting attorneys not to apply the death penalty, although the offense is a capital one in Mississippi, Mark Oliver, one of five men charged with the robbing of Joseph Scharff's grocery store corner Main and Touline street on the night of Saturday, September 5, was sentenced by Judge White of the circuit court last Thursday afternoon to a term of seven years in the State Penitentiary premises at Parchman.

When court reconvened Monday morning, Oliver's attorney, Bidwell Adam, asked for a reduction of sentence and it was subsequently reduced to five years. Sam Montalbano and James V. Glynn, two of the original five, had pleaded guilty earlier in the week and they had been given a five-year sentence each.

Oliver pleaded not guilty. He proclaimed his innocence on the stand; gave testimony to the effect he knew neither men, in fact, he testified, he had never seen them. It was on Geo. Lambly's and Forrest Favre's testimony, who had turned State's evidence, that Oliver was convicted of the crime. His commission as constable, Beat 5, was revoked when Judge White pronounced sentence.

Adam Confers with the Court.

Attorney Bidwell Adam had served notice on the court last Thursday, after Judge White had pronounced sentence, following the verdict of the jury, of his intention for a rehearing. This was to have been argued Monday morning. However, by agreement, the motion for a rehearing was withdrawn, and with the matter implied there would be no appeal, the request for lessening of sentence from 7 to 5 years was granted by the court.

Montalbano and Glynn are in the Hancock county jail (at this writing) and Oliver in the county jail at Gulfport, awaiting the arrival of the penitentiary sergeant who will come for the men and take them away to Parchman.

Passed to Files

George Lambly of New Orleans and Forrest Favre, of Bay St. Louis, jointly charged with the others of participating in the Scharff hold-up and robbery, were liberated Wednesday when the court passed the cases to files.

Passed to files means the case is not dismissed but still on file and the court at any time may call the men to trial for the alleged offense. In other words, they are ever liable to the indictments.

That they had turned State's evidence resulted in the turn of their cases.

Lambly Expresses Regret

Lambly called on Mr. Scharff and expressed his regret in the charged participation of the affair and promised he would reimburse the \$75.00 in amount, the portion of the money that went to him as his portion of the loot.

This, for the present, closes an indictment and trial that stirred this section and aroused every man and woman in the community and country; that drew the largest crowd to the courthouse from day to day in the history of the county.

Oliver's indictment and conviction was a general surprise. 40 Oliver was an officer of the law and seemingly enjoyed the confidence and respect of many. That he had violated this confidence and trust of office as a minion of the law was a surprise to which the public could not become reconciled.

GULFPORT MAY BE SCENE OF LIPTON BOAT RACES IN '36

Gulfport will be the scene of the 1936 Lipton races if its application is acceptable, it was announced last week by Commodore Arvah Hopkins of the Gulfport Yacht Club.

Gulfport filed its application after it had become known that Pensacola had relinquished its rights to the three-day sailing event, the commodore said.

Eleven clubs from Houston, Texas, to Sarasota, Fla., usually compete. Should Gulfport be awarded the races they may be held in connection with dedication of its inner harbor next September.

APPOINTED FINANCE CHAIRMAN

Walter J. Gex, Jr., has been appointed Hancock County chairman for the Mississippi National Democratic Campaign fund. Mississippi's quota is \$50,000. Mr. Gex will appoint precinct directors for the work.

BISHOP DEDICATES CHAPEL

At St. Augustine's Seminary, Bay St. Louis, Wednesday Church Dignitaries Present

Amid impressive ceremonies His Excellency, Most Rev. Richard O. Gerow, D. D., Bishop of Natchez, on Wednesday, Sept. 30, solemnly dedicated the new chapel of St. Augustine's Seminary, Bay St. Louis, Miss. The dedication was followed by a Solemn Pontifical High Mass celebrated by His Excellency. Present also were Rt. Rev. Columban Thuis, O. S.B., Abbot of St. Joseph's Monastery, Covington, La., who preached the dedication sermon; and the Very Rev. Hugo Aubry, S. V. D., Provincial of the Society; a large number of priests, Brothers and Sisters, besides representative members of the laity attended.

The ceremonies began at nine-thirty in the morning with the episcopal procession from the Faculty Building to the front of the new chapel. There His Excellency said a prayer and then began the Antiphon, "Asperges Me," which the choir chanted. Then, while the Psalm "Miserere" was being chanted, the Bishop sprinkled the outside of the new edifice with holy water, going completely around it. Afterwards followed a beautiful prayer begging God, through the intercession of the Blessed Virgin and of St. Augustine and of all Saints, to deign to visit this new place of worship and to cleanse it of all defilement by filling it with His Grace. The procession then entered the chapel, chanting the Litany of All Saints. Following the Litany other significant prayers were said before the high altar, after which the Bishop sprinkled the interior of the chapel with holy water while the choir chanted Psalms. After a final prayer for the blessing of God upon the new chapel, and for His merciful aid to all who worship therein, the Pontifical Mass took place.

The new chapel is midway between the faculty building and the Minor Seminary, on that beauty-spot of the Spanish Trail. It is a beautiful Late-Romanesque Style building, constructed of rough-textured red face brick, trimmed with Indiana limestone, and has a red tile roof. Over the main entrance is a large limestone bas-relief of the Patron, St. Augustine, Bishop of Hippo in Africa. The front doors open into a tiled vestibule, which in its turn gives access both to the organ loft and to the nave of the chapel. Inside, the ceiling is barrel-vaulted, with seven bronze-encircled chandeliers hanging pendent, symbolizing the Seven Gifts of the Holy Ghost. Stately windows of ripple-glassed amber colored Cathedral glass rise up into gabled portions of the ceiling. The inlaid oak parquet floor rises three steps from the nave to the spacious sanctuary. The high altar itself, of hand-carved oak, is still another three steps above the rest of the sanctuary. Besides the usual three altars, there are four other altars in the oratory; two in each of the two artistically constructed transepts. Two passageways lead from the apse into the roomy sacristy, which is built completely around the rear of the chapel.

Attaining a length of one hundred and five feet, with forty-foot width, St. Augustine's Chapel is an imposing picture of architectural masonry, rising aloft to a height of thirty-two feet.

This chapel is the work of the well-known architect Mr. R. C. Springer of Meridian, Miss. Local negro labor, both skilled and unskilled, was used as much as possible.

St. Augustine's Seminary is conducted by the Society of the Divine Word, for the training of colored candidates for the priesthood and the religious life.

There were over fifty priests present for the occasion.

Members of Hancock County Board Election Commissioners Named

Appointed by a board of three of which Gov. White is a member, Hancock county's new election commissioners, to serve for two years, were announced from Jackson this week and is composed of Randolph J. Ladner, Roger M. Boh and John Damborino. Mr. Boh is the only new member, Messrs. Ladner and Damborino serving the past two years.

ST. JOSEPH'S PARENTS' CLUB ANNOUNCES MEETING

Regular monthly meeting of the St. Joseph's Parents' Club will be held this Friday at 3 p. m. All members are urged to attend.

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JURY WAS NOT CHICKEN HEARTED.

THE Oliver trial and subsequent conviction and sentence has attracted considerable interest, the fact that Oliver was an officer of the law.

The Jackson News says in the course of an article, reproduced below that the jury was chicken-hearted. The true facts are otherwise. It is generally and publicly expressed that it is understood the jury was set for the death penalty. But the district attorney, in his final charge, asked for a conviction but particularly not the death penalty. It is evident the prosecution wished a sentence and wanted it now. No long delays and repeated appeals to the supreme court and possibly to the board of pardons.

The News says:

Justice was tempered with too much mercy when Mark Oliver, Hancock county Constable and former chief of police in Bay St. Louis, was given a sentence for holding up and robbing a retail grocer. The Mississippi statutes say that robbery with firearms is a crime punishable by death. However, a chicken-hearted jury couldn't agree on the sentence, so it was necessary for the judge to impose a penal term. Oliver is also under indictment for robbing a wholesale warehouse at Bay St. Louis of \$7,000 worth of merchandise.

COURTESY PAYS.

IT is an interesting story coming from Virginia that Washington and Lee University will receive a bequest of \$1,500,000 because at one time in the past an unknown student on the campus was very courteous and friendly to a visitor who at the time was unknown.

The visitor turned out to be a millionaire who was considering giving to some college the desirable sum of \$1,500,000. To help decide which one would be the fortunate recipient the millionaire decided to pay an unannounced visit to each of several institutions. He was impressed by the courtesy of the undergraduate he met on the W. & L. campus, and when he died left the money to that institution.

Courtesy doesn't cost much, but it can pay big dividends. Even if the reward is not material, as in the above case, being thoughtful and considerate is worthwhile in other ways. It enriches the life of the man or woman who practices such courtesies in everyday life.

RAILROADS' PROSPECTS IMPROVE.

WESTERN railroads are reported to be carrying from 40 to 50 per cent more passengers than last year and are almost back to their pre-depression volume of business.

Four factors are generally credited with the improvement of passenger traffic for the roads: air-conditioning, streamlining, low fares and high speed. Three of the four represent improved service and cheaper fares indicate good judgment in meeting bus competition.

Railroads in other sections report increased passenger traffic, although we do not know how their volume compares with previous years. Enough is known, however, to indicate that the railroads, after years of surrender, are fighting for business on the basis of service and price. This, after all, is the way to get it.

A SIGN OF ENVY.

BUSINESS men who are competitors need not be jealous and envious of each other. Those who show this littleness are to be pitied more than condemned, for they have a narrow viewpoint of life and are usually moved by the bitter knowledge that the other man is succeeding where they are failing.

Cooperation is much better. Friendliness makes some friends and wins more business than being surly. The general public soon knows why you criticize your competitor in business, and discounts what you say. Caustic remarks about the man in your own line of business only reveals the disappointment in your own soul and advertises that he is beating you in the business you both follow.

DON'T CRITICIZE THE COOK.

IN Kansas City, Mo., one Frank L. Oatman, sixty-seven, is alleged to have shot his wife because she criticized the way he "made the beds and dusted."

It seems that the husband, out of work for several years, undertook the house work while his wife continued in the position she held for a number of years. He did the housework and she brought home the groceries but the man, explaining the shooting, says his wife "didn't like my methods."

While it may be well for married men to show this news to their wives, in order to discourage the women from making them do the housework, it might be a warning to the men, also, not to criticize the cooking.

HE WILL.

Fred Sullens, Jackson Daily News, editorially says:

G. V. Blaize is a candidate for re-election to the office of Mayor at Bay St. Louis. He ought to make a hot race.

If you haven't read a book in the year 1936, this is a good time to start one.

INCREASING ASSESSMENTS

CHARLES B. MURPHY, president Hancock county Board of Supervisors, promulgates a call in this issue of The Sea Coast Echo calling a special session of the Board of Supervisors for Wednesday, October 7, at the courthouse in this city.

This is in compliance with an order of the Mississippi State Tax Commission, requiring an increase of 100% on machinery, tools, implements and equipment; 30% on timbered lands, value (Excluding timber); and 30% on uncultivable lands, (Excluding improvements and timber) all as is assessed in Hancock county for the year 1936.

State tax commission has sent a similar order to everyone of the eighty-two counties in the State. The tax commission finds assessments over the entire state entirely too low, hence its share of taxes will be inadequate unless there is an increase of assessing value. It is known the millage in Mississippi is from 4 to 8 mills, optional with the Governor, and from many quarters the opinion is expressed that there is a strong possibility the millage this year will be ordered at 8 mills, unless assessed values are put at what the commission would consider fair.

There is much complaint about the under assessment of automobiles. In fact, it is said, the bulk of cars are valued at figures far below the recognized trade values, according to year of manufacture. It is too well known, with the gasoline at 24 cents and over per gallon many cannot afford an automobile; that it is a burden and liability and one of the avenues of escape from cost of maintenance, etc., is popularly sought through the channel of low assessment. The state says the jig is up. Automobiles and all other assessable values must pay. In plain parlance the State needs the money.

GRAND JURY REPORT.

REPORT of Hancock county grand jury, signed by W. C. Fountain, foreman, is a most timely document. It is of extraordinary length compared with documents of similar kind that have emanated from the secret chamber of the county inquisitors and is full of meaning and warning.

Particular attention is called to that portion where reckless driving and general operation of automobiles is referred to. It is true, loss of life resulted this summer due to alleged recklessness and a life uselessly sacrificed. It is also true much injury has resulted from careless driving and negligent handling of trucks and autos. There seems to be little or no curb on fast and reckless driving. Life is held cheap by those who apparently care little or nothing for others.

We hope this will not be the last of the grand jury's report. We hope the officers whose duty it is to enforce the law and to employ such means in order it may be further and fully enforced will take heed and do their duty accordingly.

We hope the authorities will also take cognizance; that they will set in motion such machinery necessary for action.

There are many dangerous elements noted at night. Automobiles operating with one light, others violating speed, paying no heed to the rights of others and passing signal lights. Trucks parked in the city with the rear end protruding out into the roadway. This is an accident hazard that should be removed. There are many menaces to the safety of life and no pains should be spared to eliminate every such hazard. A life is the most precious possession.

CLERMONT HARBOR ROAD PROJECT.

RESIDENTS of Clermont Harbor and vicinity are actively interested in a proposed road proposition under the possibilities of Public Works Administration and are asking that the project be approved and work begin in the near future.

Waveland and particularly Bay St. Louis are intensely interested in this proposed rebuilding and surfacing a main highway thru Clermont Harbor to OST, as proposed.

It has been pointed out that "this road project will shorten the distance from New Orleans to the Coast; it will give the Louisiana visitors an opportunity to go out to the paved roadway along the water front at first available point; it will give the residents of Clermont Harbor and Waveland a direct road to the Old Spanish Trail and it will draw the traffic through Bay St. Louis instead of going around it, which should be of material benefit to the merchants of Bay St. Louis."

A united effort is set forth for the accomplishment of this project. It is worthy. Should be approved and proper allocation of funds made. The Echo feels certain that those in authority, who are in a position to do something effective in the premises will not hesitate in so doing.

HONOR TO WHOM HONOR IS DUE.

REPORT of Hancock County Grand Jury gives proper tribute to the Sheriff's office for duty promptly and faithfully discharged. Reference is made in the document to the recent activity of the sheriff and his chief deputy and other assistants in their splendid work in apprehending men who were subsequently charged with affecting a holdup and robbery in this city. Two of the number plead guilty and were sentenced to a penitentiary term while the third, pleading innocence, was found guilty and sentenced to a term in the state penal colony.

Fine work. Sheriff Monti and Chief Deputy Sheriff Bopp have proved untiring and unceasing in their labors. They are seeking for the protection of the community, of life and property. There is no work more outstanding and we are glad to note official cognizance is given of this endeavor and of its success.

PUZZLING GOLD SHIPMENTS.

THE continued shipment of gold from foreign countries into the United States presents something of a puzzle. With the bulk of the world's yellow metal already here, the steamers bring new shipments almost every day.

In seven weeks, following August 7th, more than \$126,000,000 in gold was received at American ports. Why other nations send it to us and what effect it will have on this country when it is withdrawn are problems.

IT'S TRUE! By Wiley Padan



New York, N.Y.—"IT'S TRUE! that Lon Chaney is to live in memory in scenes of M-G-M's 'Sworn Enemy,'" says Wiley Padan. "The same walking sticks he made famous in a number of weird character roles have been taken up by Joseph Calleia for a Chaney-like rôle of a crippled killer in the new picture. The sticks were discovered in a dust-covered trunk in the M-G-M property building. They are of stout hickory with cross-T handles, designed by Chaney himself."

INTERESTING NEWS ITEMS OF THE MOVIES AND FILM FOLK IN HOLLYWOOD

WARNER Bros. are erecting five new stages and when they are completed the brothers will have twenty-three in all, which is the largest number in Hollywood.

The stay-out-of-Hollywood campaigns are still on and women's clubs and Parent-teacher Associations are sponsoring radio talks which tell of the hardships the extras undergo and describe how difficult it is for them to make a living.

Amateur writers haven't a chance in Hollywood. Thirty or forty manuscripts reach the different studios each day and are sent back unopened. Such a small per cent of them are good that it is not worth time nor the risk involved to look them over. Many of the studios have spent fortunes in the courts denying that they have stolen stories.

Al Jolson will remake "The Jazz Singer" for Warners.

Harold Lloyd has finished the synopsis for his new picture and will begin filming it in the fall.

Because the protests from Women's Clubs and Temperance bodies have been so strong, still photographs of drinking scenes for publicity will be banned in the future.

Basil Rathbone is in London where he is to play the part of Ann Harding's murderous husband in "Love From a Stranger."

Th Marx Brothers, have definitely decided to be in London next year at the coronation. They are said to be among the favorite entertainers of the King.

STATE TAX COMMISSION DEMANDS RAISE COUNTY ASSESSMENTS IN STATE

Eighty-Two Counties Involved—Assessments Not Sufficient Says Tax Board—Tax-Payers Must Have More Money.

The Mississippi State Tax Commission served notice on the 82 counties that no longer will it be tolerant of tax assessment inequalities as had been shown during the years of the economic depression.

Before the warning went out, in the form of a statement signed by Chairman Alf Stone and Commissioners Bruce Van Zandt and John Frierson, the assessment rolls of numerous counties, including Hinds, the largest in population and wealth, had been returned with demand that the assessments on real and personal property be materially increased.

The state is getting four mills—and may get eight mills next year—on every dollar assessment made in the 82 counties, as one of the major factors in raising revenues for the operation of state governmental functions and assistance given to the poorer counties.

Report This Week

Chairman Stone, State Treasurer Newton James and Attorney-General Greek L. Rice are to report later this week to Governor Hugh White, as to the status of the financial condition of the state property tax.

Under the flexible property tax, Governor White, acting on the advice of these three state officials, may

"Too Young to Die" has been purchased for Mary Boland and Charlie Ruggles.

Robert Taylor is to be teamed with Louise Rainer in his next picture entitled, "Adventure for Three."

Eddie Cantor has signed a two year contract with 20th Century-Fox to make three pictures during the next two years.

Lily Pons has a voice stand-in Armand Chirac whose operatic voice is of the same range and pitch as that of the star's and sings all the numbers for the sound men and they then adjust their instruments for the final recording by Miss Pons.

Jean Muir has changed her blonde tresses for those of brown.

Rudy Vallee is returning to Hollywood to appear in a picture entitled "Mr. Melody."

Marlene Dietrich, who is now in Europe, plans to place her 11-year-old daughter in a school in France. While in America she took elaborate precautions to keep Maria from being kidnapped.

Joan Crawford says that as everyone else is dyeing their hair brown it might be a good time for her to go blond.

John Boles is to play the lead in Faith Baldwin's novel, "Twenty-Four Hours a Day."

Joan Blondell's ex-husband Scott Barnes married his fifth wife recently. She is Betty Woods, a young movie dancer.

WHAT THE PRESS IS SAYING OF MEN AND MATTERS IN EDITORIAL EXPRESSION

ON WOMEN SMOKING

By Clayton Rand in The Guide.

ALL the pretty pictures in the magazines to the contrary, notwithstanding, your scribe is old-fashioned enough not to embrace the idea of a lovely lass sucking a fag.

He knows one throat specialist who states that he will never want for patients as long as women smoke—he knows doctors who claim that nicotine is fatal to motherhood, and most women, who smoke, smoke to excess.

All men say about the beneficial results of smoking is the bunk and truth in advertising should begin with these merchandisers of a narcotic.

Girls take up smoking first because they think it's cute. Then they continue the habit because they like it or lack the moral courage to quit. We don't know why old women take to it.

Cigarette smoking, like snuff-dipping, is a filthy habit and all advertising to the contrary is a fraud and an insult.

FORTUNES IN PINE STUMPS.

(West Point Times-Leader)

THE little town of D'Lo, down in South Mississippi, may be one of the first communities in Mississippi to take advantage of the new law to "balance agriculture with industry."

Within a radius of 25 miles of D'Lo it is estimated that there is at least ten billion pine stumps. They cover more than 175,000 acres—and are so thick that the land is worthless for agricultural purposes.

D'Lo was once a prosperous sawmill town. It dwindled when the timber was exhausted and the sawmills were dismantled.

Now it proposes to stage a comeback.

Pine stumps are valuable. The Masonite corporation at Laurel, the largest industry in the State, uses millions of pine stumps in the manufacture of wallboard.

But D'Lo may use them for another purpose. The Hercules Powder Company wants to locate a plant there to manufacture gunpowder and other explosives—and the chances are that it will do so.

Men who know much more than we do declare that fat pine stumps are valuable—that they may even be worth more money than were the virgin pine trees in the days when lumber was one of the State's most important products.

Anyway, we're interested in D'Lo's possible comeback. It may point the way for other communities, and emphasize the fact that "all of the diamonds are not at the foot of the rainbow."

STATES NEW SEED LAW HAS TEETH AND CAN BE ENFORCED

(Jackson-Clarion Ledger)

AN Oklahoma seed firm learns that Mississippi's new state seed law, which became effective July 1, has

teeth in it, and that the State Department of Agriculture is capable and willing of enforcing it.

Commissioner of Agriculture J. C. Holton ordered a carload of seed oats, shipped to a Jackson jobber, sealed, halting all sales pending compliance with the state law by the shipper.

The shipper hadn't obtained a state license to do business in Mississippi and the sacks of oats were unmarked although the shipment was billed as "No. 1 Extra Heavy Red Oats." Mr. Holton added that they were "of very inferior quality."

The new law was needed. It is enforceable. And Mississippi has too long been a dumping ground for inferior seed which have cost the farmers much.

Good work, Mr. Commissioner.

ADVERTISING PAYS

(Louisville Journal)

A Missouri woman advertised for a husband. She got one at a cost of \$9. He enlisted in the army and was killed. She got \$3,000 insurance and a widow's pension for the rest of her life. Yet there are those who say that advertising doesn't pay.

BUILD RURAL ROADS

(Greenwood Commonwealth)

A community's business is no better than its roads, and when better roads are available to other shopping centers the community which fails to provide them will pay more in loss of business in a few months than the entire cost of hardsurfacing of the roads.

COAST CONSTABLE FOUND GUILTY.

(Jackson Clarion Ledger)

THE jury convicted him of plotting and participating in armed robbery of a Bay St. Louis merchant—a capital offense in Mississippi. Seven years imprisonment was the sentence imposed.

Remembering that he was an officer of the law, sworn to protect the public against just such crimes, few will consider the sentence excessive if his guilt was proved. When any law enforcement officer or prosecutor, elected and trusted by the people, violates that trust and his oath and conspires against the Law, he is sworn to serve and the people he is sworn to protect, the penalty should be heavier than that imposed upon the ordinary criminal for the same crime, for the offense is greater.

King's Daughters' Convention To Mark Fifteenth Anniversary

That great organization, which carries on a great work without fanfare of trumpets, is the King's Daughters. It will hold its annual convention at Yazoo City October 29-31. It will mark the 50th anniversary of the founding of the organization.

Summer Visitors to This Section Outnumber All Counts and Surpass All Records.

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Waveland News-Notes Personal-Miscellaneous

By JOHN W. EVANS

AMONG the many week-end visitors we find that Mr. and Mrs. W. Gebbs and family of New Orleans were here in their lovely summer home on Oak street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Feldman and daughter, Lillian, of New Orleans, spent the week end at their home in Coleman avenue. Mr. Albert Glass was the guest of Miss Lillian Feldman.

Mrs. K. B. Thompson and children who have a home in the suburb of Waveland have moved to Bay St. Louis in order that the children may attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hava and daughter, June, spent the week end here in their lovely summer home, "Miljo."

Mrs. G. M. Evans has returned to Waveland after spending two weeks in New Orleans with her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Ladner who has undergone an operation. Mrs. Ladner is improving rapidly.

Mr. Walter Carver who is working in New Orleans spent the week end in Waveland with his family.

Mr. Dave Buskirk is here for a few weeks repairing his property, before going back to New Orleans.

Mr. F. J. Alliss, novelty king, Mr. Ralph Tucker and Mr. Mack "Old Mack" McAuliffe "Pontiac" automobile salesman were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Flanders and mother-in-law, Mrs. J. L. Purser of New Orleans are here for a few weeks in their new home which has recently been constructed by Mr. Harry Zimmerman. The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Flanders is on the beach front in Waveland, "where the sea breezes always blow."

Miss Mildred Carver was in charge of the Waveland Library last Wednesday, while Miss Elnora Bourgeois librarian attended a county library meeting in Gulfport.

Two books were donated to the Waveland library last week "Wild Onions" by Loren Carroll was donated by Mr. Frank Miller, while Mrs. Sylvan Carver gave "A Son of Hogar," by Hall Clegg.

One of the outstanding books in the Waveland library at present is "Good Earth" by Pearl Buck.

Sunday proved a fatal day for the huge cottonmouth moccasin which has been lurking in the vicinity of the home of Mr. Raymond Ladner. After shooting the snake Mr. Ladner measured it and found that it was 53 inches in length and three inches across the back. The cottonmouth moccasin is a most deadly snake and the one killed by Mr. Ladner Sunday was probably the largest of its kind ever killed in Waveland.

The two "Roaming Romeos" of Waveland "Speedy" and "Slick" motored to Leetown, Sunday to visit the fairer sex. A most enjoyable trip was made by the boys.

The PWA sewing class of Waveland under the direction of Mrs. E. DeBuke is probably the most active class in the county, there are seven ladies in the class who make their time very much worthwhile by sewing shirts and dresses for the school children of Waveland. May the good work go on as long as necessary.

"Where Fish are Fish."

And so it was proved that "Religious Fishing" is good fishing when Mrs. Fred Tucker of Waveland

A. & G. Theater

AMES & GASPARD, Props.

G. AMES, Mgr.

Thursday & Friday, Oct. 1-2.

ELEANOR WHITNEY, GRACE
BLEADY & JOHN HALIDAY in
"3 CHEERS FOR LOVE"

Comedy and Short Subjects.

Saturday, October 3.

EDWARD ARNOLD, VICTOR
JORY & JOAN PERRY in
"MEET NERO WOLFE"

Our Gang Comedy and Short Subjects.

Sunday & Monday, Oct. 4-5.

SHIRLEY TEMPLE, ALICE
FAYE & JACK HALEY in
"THE POOR LITTLE RICH GIRL"

News and Short Subjects.

Tuesday & Wed., Oct. 6-7.

FRANCIS LEDERER, ANN
SOTHERN & BILLIE EYKIE in
"MY AMERICAN WIFE"

Comedy and Short Subjects.

Thursday & Friday, Oct. 8-9.

"DANCING LADY"

Admission 10 & 25c Every Night
Show Starts at 8 O'clock Saturday
and Sunday

Other Nights at 7 O'clock

STARS, SONGS, DANCES MAKE NEW FILM SHIRLEY'S GREATEST

**Talented Temple Miss Sur-
Passes All Previous Tri-
umphs with "The Poor
Little Rich Girl."**

It's always an event when Shirley Temple comes to town, but according to advance reports, when "The Poor Little Rich Girl," the tiny star's new Fox hit, opens at the A. & G. Theater, Sunday and Monday, it will be something in a way of celebration, an epoch, a new milestone in entertainment.

For, definitely, the talented Temple miss is said to give the performance of her life in this new film, and to top it off, she's surrounded by a vehicle gallery of Hollywood's brightest stars including Alice Faye, Gloria Stuart, Jack Haley and Michael Whalen.

Add to the star and the cast a modern, stirring, romantic story and five bubbling new song hits by those ace composers, Mack Gordon and Harry Revel, and you have a few of the reasons why "The Poor Little Rich Girl," is being hailed so lightly.

Shirley, of course, plays the title role. She is seen as the daughter of Michael Whalen, a wealthy young business man who is far too occupied making money to devote much time to his daughter.

Shirley persuades her daddy that she should be sent to boarding school where she can associate and play with other little children. Whalen agrees, but instead of attending to the task himself, delegates Sara Haden to accompany her to the school.

Waiting for the train Shirley wanders off. The busy sidewalks of New York lure her on to adventure.

She is entranced by Tony, the organ grinder, and follows him to his home. Tony already has a large family but the new "bambina" so wins him that he lets her stay with his other children.

In the meantime, Miss Haden has been run over by an automobile and during the following days, Shirley's absence goes unreported.

Jack Haley and Alice Faye, an out-of-work vaudeville team, notice Shirley singing and dancing. Haley is inspired with the thought that she is just what the act needs, and despite Miss Faye's protestations, she is taken into the act.

The trio are successful in a radio audition and are hired by Claude Gillingwater.

Whalen has met Gloria Stuart and the two have fallen in love. She persuades Whalen to listen to Gillingwater's new radio program and he is astounded to recognize Shirley's voice coming over the air.

Whalen doesn't just dash down to the broadcasting studio and bring Shirley home for several other complications enter the plot and there's a whirlwind of exciting events before the thrilling climax is reached.

Shirley is said to perform astonishing dances that top everything she has ever done before and she sings five new songs.

COAST MAN GETS CONTRACT TO BUILD GARMENT FACTORY

**Plant at Picayune to Be Con-
structed by Bernard L.
Knot of Pass Christian
for \$75,225**

From Picayune, located over the Hancock county line, comes an announcement that contract for the construction of a garment factory was let to Bernard L. Knot, of Pass Christian, and well known in Bay St. Louis, at a price of \$75,225.42. S. G. Thigpen, president Picayune Chamber of Commerce, Picayune, making it known.

Contract for the erection of a garment factory in Picayune was let to B. L. Knot, of Pass Christian, at a price of \$75,225.42. S. G. Thigpen, president of the Picayune Chamber of Commerce, announced this afternoon.

Mr. Knot and Chamber of Commerce officials were the signers. The contract included a building complete with wiring, heating, plumbing and sprinkling system.

Work on the building, which will measure 100 feet by 500 feet by 23 feet, will begin immediately, with January 2, 1937, set as the date for occupancy.

The factory will be known as the Picayune Garment Company, a local concern, for the manufacture of shirts, pajamas and other garments. It will employ 150 people and be situated at 500 in 12 months, Mr. Thigpen said. A training school will begin within 30 days.

Nation Returns To Standard Time Again Sunday at 2

Time becomes Standard Time again at 2 a. m. Sunday when all cities observing Daylight Saving Time turn their clocks back an hour.

For five months hundreds of cities have followed the earlier rising time. Now that shorter days, fewer sunlight hours—have returned, the cities go back to Standard Time where railroads, telegraph and telephone offices are correlated with the office hours of the metropolitan workers.

The idea was Benjamin Franklin's. Years after he wrote the limerick about "Early to bed and early to rise" he proposed, while minister to France, that French Government set the clock ahead and thereby save thousands of francs in candlelight. The French, a dubious race, didn't take to the idea and it took the World War to establish the Daylight Saving Time in 1918.

Germany adopted it first, then the other countries followed.

KILN KLIPPINGS

KILN Vocational High School has been going on for two months with an enrollment of about three hundred alert, active, and enthusiastic pupils and with a qualified faculty of ten members, a successful year is anticipated. The teachers are as follows: Supt. R. L. Russell, Hazlehurst; Principal G. W. Bibbo, Poplarville, coach and history; Mr. Emmitt Lott, Tylertown, agriculture; Miss Zulma Dubuison, Kiln, mathematics; Mrs. A. B. Dubuison, Lakeshore, commerce; Miss Freeda Attaya, Picayune, English; Miss Dorothy Frazier, Decatur, Alabama, home economics; Miss Effie Necaise, Kiln, fourth and fifth grades; Miss Adelle Lott, Kiln, second and third grades; Miss Thelma Sylvest, Columbia, primary and first grades.

For the purpose of getting the county more acquainted with one of its largest schools, the student body, under supervision, are contributing news articles to the Sea Coast Echo. The editorial staff consists of the following:

Editor-in-chief, Sam Favre, Jr.
Social editor, Hazel Favre.
Sports editor, Marion Long.
Home Economics Reporter, Hazel Favre.

Agricultural Reporter, Elus Depreo.
Censorship Committee: Miss Freeda Attaya, Miss Zulma Dubuison, Mrs. A. B. Dubuison.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dandridge and family have moved to Poplarville.

Mrs. E. Curet of New Orleans is spending her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gonzalez.

Knock! Knock! Who's there? Hazel Favre returned home after spending an enjoyable week-end with Miss Ruth Dandridge of Poplarville.

Miss Mary Sardos was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sardos of Picayune, Miss.

Miss Effie Necaise spent an enjoyable week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Travaca in Picayune, Mississippi.

Miss Esther Fuente, who has been in Vicksburg, returned home Sunday morning.

Mr. G. M. Cherry, the agricultural teacher, resigned at Kiln Vocational High School to accept the position left vacant by the death of Mr. Lumpkin at Carriere, Mississippi. Mr. Cherry is missed very much by the school and community.

Mr. Emmitt Lott of Tylertown has been elected to the Kiln Vocational High School as agriculture teacher when Mr. G. M. Cherry resigned. Mr. Lott was a former Supt. of Education of Waltham county.

Kiln has a real good football team this year. The boys say, "We're going to make a good showing this season." The first game was with St. Stanislaus College on the College football field at Bay St. Louis.

Edwina Mauffray, winner of the beauty contest in the program at Kiln High the night of September 11, was named "The Football Queen" by request of the football players.

There were two basketball games played here Wednesday 16. The first game was between Kiln grammar school and Dedeaux grammar school. The score was 11-5 in favor of Dedeaux. Dedeaux also played Sellers. The score was 8-5 in favor of Dedeaux. This game was played on a neutral court since each team has previously won a game.

Miss Dorothy Frazier, teacher of Home Economics has returned from the Emergency Hospital at Bay St. Louis, where she underwent treatment for chronic appendicitis. Miss Frazier resumed her teaching duties Wednesday.

The Home Economic class made candy and pies for the entertainment given at the school last Friday night. The pies were the prizes given in the cake walk. This provided a lot of fun for the participants. The candy was sold in the fish pond.

The boys agricultural class and the girls Home Economics classes attended the demonstration put on by Mr. Cherry, vocational teacher at the home of Mr. Claude Mauffray. It was a demonstration in canapizing.

Under the work of the WPA Kiln's new vocational high school is nearing completion. The building is a stone structure on modernistic lines. Plans are also being made for a gymnasium.

Coast Lad Saves Two Trapped In Submerged Automobile

Darwin Amos, 15-year-old Handsboro youth dived into Bayou Bernard and saved two helpless occupants of an automobile which had plunged into the bayou.

Two occupants of the car had managed to free themselves and swim ashore but two others were pinned inside the machine until young Amos succeeded in opening the door and aiding them to land. R. E. Lee, his wife and son, and Phillip Ladner, 16, were the occupants of the car. Ladner, the only one hurt, suffered minor cuts from broken glass.

DEATH CLAIMS YOUTH AT PORTAL OF YOUNG MANHOOD AND FUTURE

**John B. Caron, Aged 25,
Son of Bay St. Residents,
Passes On at New
Orleans**

The dark shadow has again darkened the sunshine of another happy home and youth, in the very zenith of its being and on the threshold of a useful and happy life has been called to pay the inevitable debt of nature. Untimely as it is, the sorrow is all the deeper and the impress of grief indelible.

John B. Caron, second son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Caron, residents of Bay St. Louis and New Orleans, died at New Orleans on Saturday, September 26, 1936, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., following an illness preceded by emergency operation some time back for a ruptured appendix.

The deceased was a native of New Orleans, aged 25 years. A graduate of Tulane University, '33, and was well versed and a young man of unusual education.

A son of John B. Caron and of the former Miss Juliette Bauden, he was also a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Merquer, representative residents of New Orleans from a long line of distinguished ancestry.

Funeral took place, Sunday afternoon from the funeral home of Albert E. Briede & Son, followed by services at St. Theresa church, New Orleans, interment in Metairie cemetery.

The Bay St. Louis home of the Caron family corner South Beach Boulevard and St. Charles street, was a popular gathering place for young Caron and his older brother. A young man of exemplary habits, he was widely and popularly known and numbered his friends over a wide circle both in New Orleans and along the Mississippi Coast, participating in outdoor sports and identified with the college group.

His untimely demise removes one who occupied a prominent and active place in life. His memory will remain for ever with those who knew him best as an imperishable heritage. In addition to his learning and culture, he possessed many attributes which nature had so richly endowed in, both of heart and mind. The passing away of this splendid young man is an occasion of deep sorrow.

STATE TAX COMMISSION DEMANDS RAISE IN COUNTY ASSESSMENTS IN STATE

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tax rolls submitted to us by boards of supervisors.

Say Errors Found

"During this period we have also made the most painstaking study of property values ever undertaken in this state. We have done this in order that we might be better qualified to discharge our equalizing functions when, and if, it should become necessary to do so in order to correct errors which would occasion flagrant inequalities and unfairness in the distribution of tax burdens among the several counties."

"We have found errors and inequalities in some tax rolls submitted to us for 1936 which clearly require the exercise of our equalizing functions. The law specifically enjoins this duty upon the tax commission, but provides only one way in which it may be discharged—that is by ordering boards of supervisors to adjust and equalize assessments by adding or deducting a fixed per centum to or from the total assessed value of the classes of property to be equalized."

"The law is equally clear in making it the duty of boards of supervisors to make the decrease or increase on property groups as a whole, by increasing or decreasing equitably the individual assessments composing the group. In other words, the increase or decrease must be applied only after the board itself shall have actually equalized the individual assessments of the classes affected within the county."

"This internal equalization within the county is the most important single function of boards of supervisors and is absolutely vitally necessary to a fair assessment. It is a local matter, entirely beyond the authority of the state tax commission, which cannot deal with individual assessments, but only with property classes or groups as a whole."

"The extent to which board of

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Cardui stimulates the appetite and improves digestion, helping women to get more strength from the food they eat. As nourishment is improved, strength is built up, and certain functional pains go away and women praise Cardui for helping them back to good health. . . . Mrs. C. E. Balfour, of Hinton, W. Va., writes: "After the birth of my last baby, I did not seem to get my strength back. I took Cardui again and in two weeks and well I have given it to my daughters and recommend it to other ladies. . . . Thousands of women praise Cardui because it does not benefit YOU, consult a physician."



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Vision, once dimmed or lost, becomes an incalculable handicap in the struggle to hold a place in the affairs of living.

To emphasize among parents and growing youth the simple fundamentals of eye care Mississippi Power Company starts this week a short EYE SIGHT SAVING CONTEST.

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will be awarded to persons living in the area served by this company who evidence a sufficient interest in eye sight saving to read the little booklet "Old Eyes in Young People" and submit winning answers to 12 simple questions about eyes and light.

A copy of the booklet "Old Eyes in Young People" together with printed answer sheet setting forth rules of contest and 12 sight saving questions, may be secured without obligation at any Mississippi Power Company office or will be handed you by any Mississippi Power Company employee.

GRAND PRIZE \$100.00 CASH

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supervisors discharge this duty of internal individual equalization will determine the degree of fairness and equality in the assessment rolls upon which the taxes of individual citizens will be paid.

"We have this year found counties in which as many as 2000 automobiles were not assessed at all. The average assessment of automobiles ranges all the way from \$68.33, in one county up to \$242.74 in another. We use automobiles for purposes of convenient illustration. The same principles apply to all other classes of property, both real and personal, throughout the state."

"The tax commission has done, in the situation confronting us for 1936, all that it can do under the law and the facts to discharge its equalizing functions. If local inequalities still persist, the remedy lies with local authorities—not with us."

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Default having been made, and now existing, for a period of more than ninety days, in the payment of part of the indebtedness due Home Owners' Loan Corporation secured by the deed of trust on the lands therein conveyed to said corporation and Mrs. John Gueldner, husband and wife, and recorded in Book 29, pages 124-28, of the records of mortgages and deeds of trust on land in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, at Bay St. Louis, and the entire indebtedness secured thereby having been declared due and payable by said Corporation, the holder thereof, and foreclosure of said deed of trust having been duly requested by A. J. McLaurin, as Trustee in said deed of trust, will on October 5th, 1936, within legal hours, offer for sale and sell at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash at the main entrance and front door of the Courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, at Bay St. Louis, the real property described in said deed of trust, situated in the City of Bay St. Louis, County of Hancock, and State of Mississippi, to-wit:

Lots Numbers Thirty-four (34) and Thirty-five (35) of the Second (2nd) Ward of the City of Bay St. Louis, Hancock County, Mississippi, according to the official plat of said City made by E. S. Drake, Civil Engineer, and filed in the office of the Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County on May 1, 1923.

Witness my signature this 11th day of September, 1936.

A. J. McLAURIN, Trustee.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Executor's—Administrator's notice to creditors of Miss Kate Feindel.

Letters of Administration having been granted on the 26th day of August, 1936, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Miss Kate Feindel, of Bay St. Louis, Miss., deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to file the same with the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within six months from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This 9th day of September, 1936.
MRS. ELIZABETH BECKER, Administrator.

CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

To Ronald Clegg.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of October, A. D. 1936, being a rule day of said court, to defend the suit No. 3839 in said court of Robert Clegg, same being a suit for divorce, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 16th day of September, A. D. 1936.
(S&A) A. G. FAYRE, Clerk.

TO THE HOLDERS OF THE BONDS OF ST. STANISLAUS COLLEGE, ISSUED AND BEARING DATE AS OF THE 15TH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1926, AND TO THE HOLDERS OF THE BONDS OF ST. STANISLAUS COLLEGE, ISSUED ON THE 15TH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1929, AND SECURED BY TRUST DEEDS DULY RECORDED IN BOOK 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408,

The Sea Coast Echo

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR MAYOR

The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to formally announce the candidacy of

HON. G. Y. (BULL) BLAIZE

for re-election as mayor of the City of Bay St. Louis.

HENRY J. (SON) COLSON

CHAS. TRAUB, SR.

for election as mayor of the City of Bay St. Louis.

FOR COMMISSIONER

(Re-election)

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W. L. BOURGEOIS

H. GRADY PERKINS

for re-election as commissioner of the City of Bay St. Louis.

LEON B. CAPEPON

for election as commissioner of the City of Bay St. Louis.

City Echoes

—Robert Camors has returned to New Orleans, where he is majoring in law.

—Mrs. H. C. Doize has gone to Missouri, where she will spend a while visiting her daughter.

—Edward Jones, combining business with pleasure, spent the latter part of the week in New Orleans.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Snyder of New Orleans were guests Thursday of Mrs. L. Borneo and Mrs. A. Nunez.

—George Zerr, of New Orleans, is visiting at the home of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zerr.

—Mr. Clarence Osoinach of New Orleans was the guest Sunday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Osoinach, and other relatives.

—Robert E. (Bob) Conner left recently for Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tenn., where he will complete his studies in law.

—Mrs. W. H. Maybin is spending a while in New Orleans and will remain for an indefinite period, and is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Schoupp.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Whitten of Lucedale, Miss., were visitors to the Bay during the week. They were greatly impressed with the natural beauty of this section.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Zerr and Mrs. P. Gaspard and Miss Geraldine Amos motored to New Orleans Wednesday where they spent the day in delightful pastime.

—Mrs. Harold Rhoden and young baby of Covington, La., accompanied by Mr. Jimmie Farmer of Kentwood spent a while with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Pitre.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Huckaby of Griffin, Georgia, accompanied by Mrs. Kate Wells and Mr. Wade Eubanks of Hampton, Georgia, spent a much enjoyed visit to the Bay.

—Captain and Mrs. McIntosh, after a delightful residence of two years, left for New Orleans Tuesday, where they are domiciled at 2618 Marango street. Their departure is keenly regretted.

—Mr. J. C. Roland, Sr., has joined the forces of the Beach Drug Store where he is actively engaged in professional pursuit. Mr. J. C. Roland, Jr., is a valued attaché of the Hancock County Bank's clerical force.

—Mrs. C. J. Chadwick, who will again spend the social season in New Orleans, has relinquished her domicile in Nashville avenue and, accompanied by her young son, is registered at the "Laura Lee," exclusive family hotel in St. Charles avenue.

—Miss Ella Timony and nephew, Mr. Timothy Swoop, are here from New Orleans occupying the family summer home on South Beach for the fall months. They have with them Miss Timony's niece, Mrs. Hilery and other members of the family from week to week.

—Mrs. E. D. Elliott, who resides in New Orleans, but has been visiting extensively in Texas, after a visit to the home of her son, Mr. L. S. Elliott, and family, in Union street, returned to her home Tuesday afternoon. While here she received a number of social attentions, marking the welcome of her visit.

—Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Prince, who reside at the Kiln, have moved to Bay St. Louis for the long winter and are occupying one of the modern and attractive Montgomery bungalows in Sycamore street. The doctor has retired after many years of a successful practice. Mrs. Prince is a member of the local Thursday bridge club and will participate in the social activities of Bay St. Louis to a further extent now that she resides in the Bay city.

—Bay St. Louis public and private schools report increased enrollment over former sessions and a busy season is in store. Supt. Ingram, superintendent of city schools, reports all available space in city schools filled to capacity and completion of the gym in process of building and the proposed additional class rooms are eagerly anticipated. St. Stanislaus college has an increased enrollment (boarders of over forty students) while the day scholar roll is considerably augmented. St. Joseph Academy also reports marked increase in attendance and progress in work.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Deston of New Orleans, who reside in the Metairie section, spent Thursday in Bay St. Louis, planning to reside here in future.

—Parishioners of Our Lady of the Gulf Church, last Sunday were glad to note the return of Rev. Father Patrick Moran, who spent part of the summer with his parents in Ireland, on a visit "back home."

—Mr. and Mrs. Heidt D. Elliott, accompanied by Mrs. S. A. Power, returned home recently from a trip to Dallas, where they spent ten days visiting the Texas Centennial. They motored to and fro and enjoyed the trip equally as well as their delightful stay.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Renshaw and accomplished young daughter, Kathleen, have gone on an extensive trip East and will spend a major portion of their time visiting in New York City and other metropolitan centers of interest and gay activities. They plan not to return home until they will have attended the world baseball series.

—Mrs. Mary Gannon of New Orleans is spending a few days here visiting her sister, Mrs. Andrew Manieri, at her home on the beach. Mrs. Gannon was formerly Miss Mary Luxich, one of the most popular ladies at the Bay in the late seventies. Her husband the late James Gannon was a prominent citizen of Waveland.

—An impromptu musical was given Sunday evening complimentary to Mr. James Worrell of New Orleans. One of the delightful features of the occasion was a violin solo rendered by Mrs. Katherine Thomas, who wields the bow with artistry and skill. Mr. Worrell is fond of music especially the violin and was a player himself before an accident to his hand.

—Mr. and Mrs. Sidney W. Prague, who left recently for the North, combining pleasure with business, are for the present located in Chicago for a while, after spending a while in Minneapolis, Minn., where they were registered at the Francis Drake Hotel. Three of their young daughters are at the Ursuline convent in New Orleans, a fourth visiting Mrs. M. V. Gex and daughter, Miss Vickie Gex. Before returning home later in the season Mr. and Mrs. Prague will visit the Texas Centennial.

—Unknown party or parties broke in the Robert W. Taylor Ward school, at North Bay St. Louis during the last week-end and made away with small booty. A small amount of money, accumulated for a specific purpose was stolen along with minor property. An attempt to pry the school room from its wall fastening failed of success. The recent robbery of ten typewriters from Central School offers no clues and remains a baffling mystery, so to speak. It is possibly the work of a band of itinerant thieves, it is said.

—Getting away from the unusual local heat of the summer that has lingered into the early fall, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pitcher recently left for the cool atmosphere of the North Carolina mountains and are at present at the fashionable Marlborough Hotel, Hendersonville, N. C. Recently they visited Brevard and were the guests of Rev. and Mrs. Perry, former rector of Christ Episcopal church of Bay St. Louis, who will be pleasantly remembered by many Bay St. Louis parishioners and other residents.

—Mr. James Worrell came out from New Orleans Sunday to be the dinner guest of his friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnson of San Antonio, Texas, who spent a few days here prior to leaving for a visit to New York City. Mr. Worrell is an ardent lover of Bay St. Louis and is one of its greatest boosters. He looks forward to the time when he can make his home here and enjoy his own "vine and fig tree." The fondest memories of his life are interwoven around this section of the sea coast, where he spent his early boyhood.

—Noted actively practicing before the bar the past two weeks during the fall term of local circuit court, the community in general was interested in the presence of Attorney W. J. Gex, Sr., who is rapidly recovering from a long siege of illness. Mr. Gex's recent trip to the Pacific coast by water, then across the continent to New York City and Washington and down home by rail, proved of incalculable benefit. A wise busy man relaxes from time to time and Mr. Gex spends the week-end on short journeys to New Orleans and where he plans to witness the major football games. Mr. Gex is a guiding influence for the community and a constructive force and his genius and public-spiritedness is an undisputable asset.

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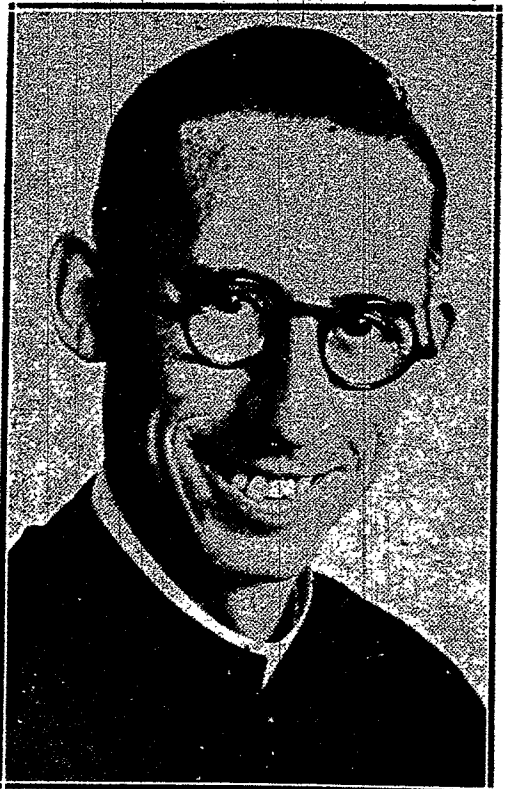
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Directing Head Of College Band At St. Stanislaus



BROTHER ROMUALD, S. C.

Brother Romuald needs no introduction to the readers of the Rock-A-Chaw. He had an issue of the paper dedicated last year to him and his band. Brother Romuald won honors for his band since that issue. State honors were conferred upon it in the State Contests at Jackson last May. Now Brother Romuald has to start all over as many of his good players were lost by graduation or otherwise. That is not a deterrent, however, for our music professor. He will be back this year with another good band, in fact, it sounded "darned" good last night at the Kiln game.

HONORS GRAND ARMY

Washington extended herself last week to pay tribute to the Grand Army of the Republic which gathered for its seventieth national encampment. The grand review, staged on Wednesday, saw about 900 veterans in the parade. Their average age was 92 years. Many were on foot in the parade, augmented by detachments of the regular Army, Navy and Marine forces. Other units represented patriotic organizations. Public schools were closed and government employees had a half-holiday for the occasion.

WITTER—MANIERI

The marriage of Mr. F. E. Witter to Miss Valmae Manieri, both of Bay St. Louis, was quietly solemnized Tuesday evening at the Catholic Rectory of the church of Our Lady of the Gulf, the Rev. A. J. Gmelch, pastor, performing the ceremony.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Manieri, residing in Union Street, while the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Witter.

The couple have gone to house-keeping and are occupying the attractive cottage in State street belonging to Mrs. P. Gaspard, which property has undergone a thorough renovation.

Mr. Witter is the house manager for the A. & G. Theater and the general attendant at the entrance of evening. He is also associated with his brother, Harry Witter, general painter and art decorator.

The young couple have the wishes for much happiness from a wide circle of friends here and from away.

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NOTICE

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF HANCOCK COUNTY TO BE HELD AT THE COURT HOUSE IN THE CITY OF BAY ST. LOUIS, HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, ON OCTOBER 7TH, AT 9:00 O'CLOCK, A. M., FOR THE PURPOSE OF CARRYING OUT THE INSTRUCTIONS OF THE STATE TAX COMMISSION REQUIRING AN INCREASE OF 100 PER CENT ON MACHINERY, TOOLS, IMPLEMENTS, N. D. EQUIPMENT, 30 PER CENT ON TIMBERED LANDS, VALUE, (EXCLUDING TIMBER); AND 30 PERCENT ON UNCULTIVABLE LANDS (EXCLUDING IMPROVEMENTS AND TIMBER); ALL AS IS ASSESSED IN HANCOCK COUNTY FOR THE YEAR 1936.

To the members of the Board of Supervisors and to all parties owning machinery, tools, implements and equipment; timbered lands; and uncultivable lands:

Notice is hereby given that there will be a special meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County on Wednesday, October 7th, 1936 at 9:00 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of carrying out the order of the State Tax Commission, requiring an increase of 100% on Machinery, tools, implements and equipment; 30% on Timbered lands, value, (excluding timber); and 30% on uncultivable lands, (excluding improvements and timber) all as is assessed in Hancock County for the year 1936; or the doing of such matters therein as the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County may deem fit and proper.

POSTED AND PUBLISHED this 28th day of September, A. D. 1936.

CHAS. B. MURPHY, President of the Board of Supervisors of Hancock County, Mississippi.

Hancock County Colored Library Reports Progress

By Arsene Collins, Librarian. It affords me great pleasure to announce the amount of readers, from this library," says Arsene Collins, librarian in charge.

"We have four hundred constant readers which is shown from our monthly reports.

"A number of books and magazines have been donated to us from our good friends and 226 magazines donated for our colored seminary. Rev. Father Gasper was the donor and his kindness was highly appreciated.

"We wish to extend our thanks to our good supervisors, Miss Louise Crawford and Miss Virginia Chapman, who are taking so much interest in this great work, which is a benefit to both young and old.

"And we hope that our library will continue to grow in the near future. "I am always ready to accommodate you."

Plans For Harvest Queen Ball Underway At St. Stanislaus College

Plans for the annual Harvest Queen Ball are being swiftly made. Both the Senior Class and the Mothers' Club are making the necessary preparations for the ball.

As usual the queen will be elected by a vote among the students of both the College and Convent and the townspeople. Books of votes will be given out among the boys and girls within the next week. The price of the votes have not yet been decided.

A meeting of the Mothers' Club was held Thursday night during which they discussed the coming ball and numerous other technicalities which go with the making of a successful dance.

SEC penal law sustained by a Federal judge in Memphis.

Roosevelt extends the merit system to the HOLC.

Larger share of income comes from government, survey shows.

Treasury to keep cash balance of \$1,000,000,000.

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Personal and General

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER COMPLETING MISS THELMA EATON.

COMPLIMENTING Miss Thelma Eaton who will become the bride of Laurent L. Kergosien, of Bay St. Louis, at the home of her mother, Mrs. C. M. Eaton, at Sumrall, Miss., on Wednesday of next week, Mrs. (Dr.) A. P. Smith and daughter, Mrs. Charles Clark, were co-hostesses at a miscellaneous shower given at the Smith home Wednesday afternoon on South Beach Boulevard and at which many guests were present.

Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Clark were assisted in receiving by Mrs. C. M. Eaton and Mrs. (Dr.) A. A. Kergosien.

The 'shower' was one of many handsome and thoughtful presents. These had been previously assembled into one large container and drawn into the living room where the guests had gathered by Master Norvin Fagin, of New Orleans, representing Cupid, assisted by little Miss Virginia Seal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo W. Seal; and Miss Gaynel Gex, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Gex, Jr.

Later a luncheon course was served. Participating in this delightful pre-nuptial function the following were noted:

Mrs. C. C. McDonald, Mrs. L. M. Gex, Mrs. Jas. A. Evans, Mrs. Roger M. Boh, Mrs. Fritz Peranich, Miss Elizabeth Crawford, Mrs. A. B. Vassalli, Mrs. Alden Mauffray, Mrs. Carrie Nolan, Mrs. Cecelia Osoinach, Mrs. Charles J. Mitchell, Mrs. Ulysses Cuevas, Mrs. Douglas Bourgeois, Mrs. C. A. Breath, Jr., Mrs. Emile J. Gex, Mrs. Walter J. Gex, Jr., Mrs. Carl Smith, Mrs. Milton Phillips, Mrs. Flora Maumus, Misses Helen and Virginia Chapman, Mrs. E. S. Drake, Mrs. Gus Terry, Mrs. Judith Garner, Miss Margaret Green, Mrs. Edouard C. Carrere, Mrs. Chas. G. Moreau, Miss Louise Crawford, Miss Lucille Weston, Miss Irene Weston, Mrs. Harold B. Weston, Mrs. Theodore T. Robin, Miss Clara Kergosien, Miss Merle Kergosien, Mrs. Earl Buckley, Misses Regina and Julia Blaize, Mrs. Celine Ashcraft, Miss Yvonne Lacoste, Mrs. H. G. de Ponte, Mrs. Hubert de Ben, Mrs. H. Grady Perkins, Mrs. Laurent Dickson, Mrs. (Dr.) C. M. Shipp, Miss May H. Edwards, Mrs. Edmund F. Fahey, Mrs. S. H. Anderson, Mrs. Ralph Ragan, Mrs. Kenneth W. Pepperdine, Mrs. John W. Bryan, Mrs. John Scaffie, Mrs. James McConnell, Mrs. Emile Larroux, Mrs. Horace L. Kergosien, Mrs. J. W. Lodwick, Mrs. W. O. Sylvester, Miss Ethel Sylvester, Mrs. Leo W. Seal, Miss Bessie Givens, Miss Helen Newsome, Miss Gertrude Perkins, Miss Florence Russ, Miss Ruth Campbell, Miss Luvina Sautier, Miss Carmelle Spotorno, Mrs. Loretta Smith, Miss Elsa Mauffray, Miss Iolanthe Mauffray, Mrs. Sam Keen, Mrs. Richard Koch, Sr.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. J. Fagan, New Orleans; Mrs. C. M. Eaton, Mrs. (Dr.) Anderson, Sumrall, Miss; Miss Gladys Sherer, New Orleans; Mrs. Ed. Watts, Hammond, La.; Mrs. Dean Pierce, New Orleans.

CATCHINGS-GEX WEDDING QUIETLY CELEBRATED SATURDAY.

A quiet but interesting wedding was that of Saturday noon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Gex, Sr., when their daughter, Stella, became the bride of Mr. Wallace Catchings, business man of Hazlehurst, Miss.

The ceremony took place in the living room which had been tastefully and appropriately decorated for the occasion, the Very Rev. A. J. Gmelch, pastor Church of Our Lady of the Gulf, performing the simple but effective ceremony of the Catholic church.

Mr. W. J. Gex, Jr., and Mrs. Wena Gex Phillips, brother and sister respectively of the bride, were the attendants, and young Misses Gaynel and Patricia Gex, flower girls. The bride was given away by her father.

The bride was becomingly attired in a gray and chic-looking traveling ensemble, with hat and accessories to match, enhancing her youth and attractive personality.

A dinner followed the ceremony, after which Mr. and Mrs. Catchings left on a bridal journey and will reside at Hazlehurst in future.

Only immediate relatives of the family were present for the ceremony and subsequent function.

FORTHCOMING WEDDING OF TWO POPULAR YOUNG PEOPLE.

A forthcoming marriage of interest will take place Wednesday of next week, when Mr. Laurent Kergosien, of Bay St. Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Kergosien will wed Miss Thelma Eaton of Sumrall, Miss., attractive young daughter of Mrs. C. M. Eaton and the late Mr. Eaton.

The ceremony will take place at Sumrall. The prospective bride and groom will make Bay St. Louis their home, to occupy the Wogar, cottage, Second street, near Carroll avenue.

Miss Eaton is well and popularly known in Bay St. Louis, a former member of the Bay Central School faculty, and Mr. Kergosien is engaged in the real estate business and affiliated with the Beach Drug Store.

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Changes in Time effective Noon, Oct. 4, 1936

Train 34, daily, for Mobile and Montgomery will leave 7:50 p. m. instead of 7:58 p. m.

Train 8, except Saturday and Sunday for Ocean Springs will leave 5:36 p. m. instead 5:43 p. m.

Train 1, daily, for New Orleans will leave 5:53 p. m. instead 5:43 p. m.

Train 37, daily, for New Orleans will leave 8:08 p. m. instead 7:58 p. m.

For Particulars consult Ticket Agent, L. & N. R. R.

THE ECHO'S COOKING CLASS

(Dedicated to Mrs. Lucien M. Gex.)

GOOD batter cakes like waffles are one of our most acceptable dishes. They may be served for so many informal occasions. Prepare the batter ahead of time if need be; as soon as mixed, cover and place in the refrigerator. When ready to bake heat the griddle just hot enough to make cold water when thrown in it sputter a good deal. Drop the batter by spoonfuls in the griddle, bake 2 or 3 minutes then turn with a large spatula and continue baking until the second side is browned. Serve at once.

Standard Batter Cakes

1 cup milk
1 1/2 cups flour
1 to 2 tablespoons fat
1 egg
2 teaspoons baking powder
1 tablespoon sugar if desired
1/2 teaspoon salt
Mix and sift the ingredients, beat the egg slightly and add to the other liquid ingredients, then stir them gradually into the dry. Add the melted fat. Bake on a hot griddle, lightly greased if necessary.

Quick Buckwheat Cakes

1/2 cup flour
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons sugar
1 1/2 cups buckwheat flour
3 cups buttermilk
1 teaspoon soda
1/4 cup water
2 tablespoons melted fat
Sift the white flour, baking powder, salt and sugar together. Mix with the buckwheat flour. Pour the buttermilk in a bowl. Dissolve soda in the water and add to the buttermilk. Mix and add melted shortening, then the dry mixture. Beat until smooth. Bake and serve at once.

Bacon Pancakes

To the dry ingredients for standard batter cakes, add 1 cup of bacon fried until crisp and cut in small pieces. Finish and bake as usual. Serve with cheese sauce.

Raisin Crumb Batter Cakes

Soak 1 cup of soft bread crumbs in water 10 minutes. Press out all moisture and mix with 1 cup sour milk or buttermilk, 1 well beaten egg, 1/4 cup of flour sifted with 1 teaspoon of baking soda and 1/2 teaspoon salt. Add 1 tablespoon of hot melted shortening, 2 tablespoons sugar and 3